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SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: SOUTH AFRICAN RESPONSE TO PROPOSED
SYG STATEMENT

1. CONTACT GROUP WILL BE MEETING TONIGHT TO DISCUSS
RESPONSE TO SAG REACTION (REFTEL) TO SYG'S POSSIBLE STATE-
MENT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL. SAG STATEMENT OBVIOUSLY
POSES VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM AND COULD BE INTERPRETED AS
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INDICATION THAT PRETORIA IS CREATING BASIS FOR REJECTING
DRAFT UNTAG MANDATE.

2. IN CONNECTION WITH PREPARATION OF CONTACT GROUP RESPONSE,
WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ANALYSIS OF SAG MOTIVATIONS AND OF
THE STATEMENT ITSELF, AS WELL AS YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS AS
TO HOW THE CONTACT GROUP SHOULD REPLY. WE WOULD ALSO

WELCOME ANY JOINT ASSESSMENT ON PART OF PRETORIA FIVE. CHRISTOPHER

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